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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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In re application of: W. Don Morison et al.

Application Number: 09/987,436

Filed: 11/14/2001

For: FIBER OPTIC SENSOR USABLE OVER WIDE RANGE...

Art Unit: 2877

Examiner: Michael P. Mooney

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 110.00
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- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$

- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is half, and the resulting fee is: 55.00

- ☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

- ☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 23-2185

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I am the ☐ applicant/inventor

- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).

- ☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number 28,419

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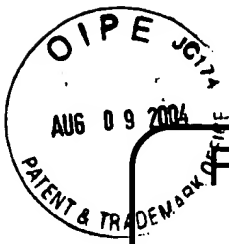
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